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CAMEROON TRIBUNE FOR WEDNESDAY JANUARY 26 REPORTS UNDER
HEADLINE "EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS THAT OAU OPEN
SPORTS RELATIONS WITH NEW ZEALAND" THAT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
OF THE SUPERIOR COUNCIL FOR SPORT IN AFRICA (SCSA) IN LETTER
TO SECRETARY GENERAL OF OAU HAS RECOMMENDED A REOPENING OF
SPORTS RELATIONS WITH NEW ZEALAND, FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF A
LETTER FROM THE PRIME MINISTER OF NEW ZEALAND IN WHICH HE
PLEDGES HIS COUNTRY" .. TO SUPPORT THE CAMPAIGN LED AT INTER-
NATIONAL LEVELS TO ELIMINATE RACIAL DISCRIMINATION OF WHICH
A BOYCOTT OF SOUTH AFRICA IN THE SPORTS FIELD CONSTITUTES ONE
ASPECT". THE ENGLISH VERSION OF THE DAILY GOVERNMENT
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NEWS SERVICE (ACAP) UNDER HEADING "AFRICA MAY NOT BOYCOTT
NEXT COMMONWEALTH GAMES" STATES THAT FEARS OF COMMONWEALTH
GAMES BOYCOTT BY AFRICAN COUNTRIES WERE LESSENED BY A LETTER
FROM NEW ZEALAND PRIME MINISTER ASSURING SCSA THAT IT WILL
END SPORTING LINKS WITH RACIST SOUTH AFRICA. FRENCH VERSION
OF ACAP REPORTS SCSA RECOMMENDATION TO OAU" .. TO OPEN THE
POSSIBILITY OF SPORTS EXCHANGES WITH NEW ZEALAND IF THAT COUNTRY

MAINTAINS ITS NEW SPORTS POLICY, WHICH SUPPORTS THE SUPPRESSION
OF SPORTS EXCHANGES WITH SOUTH AFRICA. THE PARTICIPATION OF
AFRICA IN THE COMMONWEALTH GAMES WILL DEPEND EQUALLY ON THE
ATTITUDE ADOPTED BY NEW ZEALAND". COMMENT: WILL SEND PRECISE
LANGUAGE OF SCSA RECOMMENDATION AS SOON AS AVAILABE.
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